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MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 1, 2021

TO: Perkins Fiscal Agency Superintendents

FROM: Brian Pyles, Ph.D., State Director
Office of Career and Technical Education *BP*

SUBJECT: 2021-2022 Secondary CTE Perkins Grant Application

The Michigan Department of Education Office of Career and Technical Education (MDE-OCTE) is pleased to announce that the review of the 2021-2022 Secondary CTE Perkins Grant Application is complete. Official award notification is now available through NexSys as the U.S. Department of Education letter of credit to MDE-OCTE has been received. Funds are available for the grant year beginning July 1, 2021, through June 30, 2022.

Twenty-five percent of the funding will be available for obligation on July 1, 2021, with the remaining 75 percent of the funds available on October 1, 2021. This grant is funded under provisions of Public Law 115-224, the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Act of 2006, as amended by the Strengthening Career and Technical Education for the 21st Century Act (Perkins V, the Act, or statute). The federal identifier for this grant is **CFDA 84.048A, Career and Technical Education – Basic Grants to States**. The federal awarding agency is the U.S. Department of Education, and the federal award number is V048A210022.

In accordance with Uniform Guidance 2 C.F.R Part 200.305, appropriate cash management requires grantees to request regular and timely reimbursements for expenditures. Reimbursement may be initiated by selecting the "Requesting Funds for a Project" online through the [NexSys](https://www.michigan.gov/MDE-NexSys) at Michigan.gov/MDE-NexSys. In accordance with 34 C.F.R. 76.708, you are authorized by OCTE to obligate these funds beginning July 1, 2021.

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Application amendments are required for any new activity, significantly revised activity, and when any budget change results in a line-item deviation of 10 percent or more. Amendments must be submitted and approved through NexSys **before** dollars can be expended for new projects or activities. All expenses must be within allowable funding guidelines.

The Michigan Perkins V state plan for career and technical education supports [Michigan's Top 10 Strategic Education Plan](#) to:

- Expand secondary learning opportunities for all students.
- Increase the percentage of all students who graduate from high school.
- Increase the percentage of adults with a postsecondary credential.

Please direct questions to the Perkins Grant Team Leader listed below.

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